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Honorable Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

The applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for a one month extension of time to reply to an Office Action dated Dec. 8, 2005. With the extension of time, the time for reply is extended to April 10, 2006 making this reply timely in nature. The \$60 small entity fee for the one month extension is enclosed herewith. If any additional fee is due, please charge the fee to deposit account no. 07-1732.

A Statement of the Claims (Amendment) is found on page 2 hereof.

Remarks (Argument) are found on page 8 hereof.